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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Sir:

This paper is responsive to the final Office Action mailed April 22, 2005. Enclosed herewith is a Request for Continued Examination and payment for any associated fee. A Notice of Appeal was filed on October 24, 2005 and was received on October 26, 2005. This paper has been filed before May 26, 2006, with a petition for a five month extension of time and associated fee. Although Applicants believe that no additional fees are due, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any fees that may be required or to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-2319 (File No. 468081-00016, Docket No. A-58634-6/RFT/RMS/RMK).

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